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## Federal Opportunities

**Infant Adoption Awareness Training Program.** *The Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to provide financial assistance to adoption agencies for the training of health center staff in adoption counseling. Eligible applicants include public agencies, faith-based, community-based, and nonprofit organizations. The deadline is July 20, 2001. Approximately \$9 million is available. The size of actual awards will vary. For further information, contact ACYF Operation Center at 1-800-351-2293 or [cb@lcgnet.com](mailto:cb@lcgnet.com). Also see <http://www.acf.dhhs.gov/programs/CB>.

**Family Planning Services.** *The Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to serve select areas and populations including Washington, DC. Funds will be awarded to projects that offer a broad range of acceptable and effective medically approved family planning methods and services. Approximately \$930,000 is available for Washington, DC. For more information, contact Louis Belmonte at (215) 861-4641. Also see <http://www.hhs.gov/opa/grants.htm>.

**Controlling Asthma in American Cities Projects.** *The Centers for Disease Control* announces availability of funds to improve overall asthma management in order to decrease asthma-related morbidity among children (0-18 years) in a defined urban population with a large and unmet asthma control need. Eligible applicants include nonprofit organizations, universities, hospitals and public health departments. The deadline is August 10, 2001. Approximately \$3,000,000 is available to fund approximately four to six planning projects. The expected average award will be \$450,000. For further information, contact Sonia Rowell at (770)

488-2724 or [svpl@cdc.gov](mailto:svpl@cdc.gov). Also see <http://www.cdc.gov/od/pgo/funding/grantmain.htm>.

**Traumatic Brain Injury.** *The Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources Services Administration* announces funds to provide health and other services for people who have sustained a traumatic brain injury. Only State governments are eligible. The deadline is July 16, 2001. Approximately \$700,000 is available to support 7 post-demonstration awards of \$100,000 each. For further information, contact Betty Hastings at (301) 443-5599 or [bhastings@hrsa.gov](mailto:bhastings@hrsa.gov). Also see <http://www.hrsa.gov/grants.htm>.

**Discretionary Grants To Support a Teen Safe Driving Initiative.** *The Department of Transportation* announces discretionary grants to increase seat belt use and decrease impaired driving and speeding among the teen population. Eligible applicants: Public and private entities, non-profit, for-profit organizations, state and local government and their agencies. The deadline is July 3, 2001. A total of \$500,000 is available to fund up to four communities at a maximum of \$250,000 each. For further information, contact Henrietta Mosley at (202) 366-9570 or [hmosley@nhtsa.dot.gov](mailto:hmosley@nhtsa.dot.gov). Also see <http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov/nhtsa/whatsup/tea21/index.html>.

**Development of Crash Outcome Data Evaluation System.** *The Department of Transportation* announces availability of funds to assist states in the development and use of Crash Outcome Data Evaluation Systems (CODES). Under CODES, states will link their existing statewide traffic records with medical outcome and charge data. The link date will be used to support highway safety decision-making. Eligible applicants are State agencies involved with highway traffic safety. The deadline is August 7, 2001. Estimated individual award

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amounts range from \$250,000 to \$300,000 for three awards. Contact Joe Comella at (202) 366-9568 or [jcomella@nhtsa.dot.gov](mailto:jcomella@nhtsa.dot.gov). See <http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov/nhtsa/whatsup/tea21/index.html>.

**Youth Offender Initiative: Reentry Grant Program.** *The Department of Labor* announces available funds for demonstration grants to provide services aimed at youth who are or have been under criminal justice supervision or involved in gangs. Eligible applicants: Community development corporations, community and faith-based organizations, and child and family service organizations. The deadline is October 1, 2001. Approximately \$11.5 million is available to fund 6 grants under Category A at \$1.5 million each and 5 grants under Category B at \$600,000. For further information, FAX B. Jai Johnson, (202) 693-2879. Also see <http://wdsc.doleta.gov/sga/sga.asp#yoi>.

**Chesapeake Bay Program FY2002.** *The Environmental Protection Agency* is seeking innovative, cost-effective proposals to accomplish the objectives in the Chesapeake 2000 Agreement. Any nonprofit organization, federal, state, or local government agency, interstate agency, college or university is eligible. The deadline is July 16, 2001. For more information, contact Kim Scalia at (214) 814-5421 or [scalia.kim@epa.gov](mailto:scalia.kim@epa.gov). A complete application packet is available at <http://www.epa.gov/r3chespk/grant.htm>.

## District Opportunities

**URGENT! Juvenile Justice Challenge Grant: Gender-Specific Services for Female Adolescents.** *The DC Office of the Deputy Mayor for Public Safety and Justice, Justice Grants Administration* announces funds to support challenge grant activities for female adolescents who have been victims of violence or at risk for involvement in the juvenile justice system and violence. Organizations and individual consultants are eligible. The deadline is June 22, 2001. The Request for Applications will be available on June 8, 2001 from: Doris Howard, Grants Manager, Justice Grants Administration, 441 4<sup>th</sup> Street NW, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor, Office of the City Administrator, Washington, DC 20001, (202) 727-6495.

## Foundation Opportunities

**Social Capital and Community Capacity.** *The Aspen Institute* announces a Small Grants Program competition to fund research to develop and test innovative ways of measuring social capital and community capacity at the local level. Approximately 6 to 10 awards of \$50,000 each and 1 to 3 awards of \$100,000 each will be made in January 2002. Organizations must have a research capacity to apply. The deadline is July 13, 2001. For more information, contact (212) 677-5510 or [dianac@aspenroundtable.org](mailto:dianac@aspenroundtable.org). Also see <http://www.aspenroundtable.org/proposals/proposal.htm>

## Resources & Announcements

**The Non-Profit Shopping Mall.** *The Non-Profit Shopping Mall* is an Internet site that will build a 16-page shopping mall for your group at no cost. Approximately 10% commissions will be made on purchases. For more information, contact (610) 725-9995 or [info@npsmall.com](mailto:info@npsmall.com). Visit the site at <http://www.npsmall.com/index.htm>.

**Help with Grants.** *GrantHelp* provides grant writers with tips, techniques and books related to grant writing. The site has a free email newsletter that provides grant writing tips and information about funding opportunities. There is also an online grants writing school that includes seven modules geared toward new fundraisers. Visit <http://granthelp.clarityconnect.com/>.

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